

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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## <u>MEMORANDUM</u>

FROM:

**SUBJECT:** 

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**TO:** The Commission

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MUR 6860 (Terri Lynn Land, et al.)

Pre-Probable Cause Conciliation Agreement

On June 16, 2016, the Commission found reason to believe that Terri Lynn Land for Senate and Kathy Vosburg in her official capacity as treasurer ("Committee") and Terri Lynn Land violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(f) by accepting excessive contributions from Land's husband, Dan Hibma, when Hibma wired funds to Land's personal account to cover \$700,000 in contributions that she made to the Committee on December 31, 2013 and March 31, 2014. The Commission also found reason to believe that Dan Hibma violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(a)(1)(A) by making the excessive contributions, and that the Committee violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(b)(3)(A) by not reporting the contributions from Hibma. The Commission further directed this Office to draft an appropriate conciliation agreement.

See Certification, MUR 6860 (June 17, 2016).

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## **RECOMMENDATIONS:**

1. Approve the attached conciliation agreement.